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Due to the Monday
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**Busy August
for Elk Point**

The summer is half over, but there's still lots of fun and activities coming up in Elk Point and district.

While the Heritage Day long weekend is relatively quiet, the next four weekends are busy.

On Saturday, August 7, the Midwest Rodeo Association holds their first finals at Whitney Lake, with a jackpot rodeo on Sunday, August 8.

Elk Point Fair goes Friday and Saturday, August 13 and 14. Watch for details next week.

The Elk Point Oilmen's Golf Tournament is slated for August 20 to 22.

The Open Horse Show on August 28 and the Fort des Prairies Jamboree on August 29 wind up another great summer.

Elk Point

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White Sox host Midget "A" Provincials

Acme Red Sox are crowned Alberta's best

Elk Point Midget White Sox hosted the Midget "A" Provincial fastball championships this weekend, with teams from Acme, Camrose, Beaverlodge, Armena, Wainwright, Fort Saskatchewan and Edmonton joining the host team for three days of exciting base-

heads a lot of activity in this community, and we'd like to have you all come back."

Buck's announcement of another diamond received a burst of applause. Baseball Alberta representative Leo Cummings welcomed players and fans on behalf of the organization. Cummings attended the 1998 Provincials in Elk Point as a coach, but said he is happy to represent Baseball Alberta this year. Elk Point was the second of four Provincial tournaments he will attend in this capacity, and "there's a lot of good ball, and a lot of good players out there. Unfortunately, I can only crown one champion." He wished all the teams luck for the weekend.



SOUVENIR FOR THE MAYOR -- Manager Doug Bassett and the players and coaches of the White Sox signed the first pitch ball for Mayor Ed Buck.

ball action.

Opening ceremonies were held Friday evening, just before the first White Sox game. All eight teams paraded onto the fastball field, with seven lined up around the diamond and the Sox across the mound. Michelle Friesen sang O Canada.

Mayor Ed Buck, who later caught the ceremonial opening pitch from fellow longtime baseball player Phil Sheplaw, welcomed all the visitors to town, and said he was "really happy to have you here." He expressed thanks to Doug Bassett and Elk Point Minor Ball for their efforts in bringing the Provincials to town for a second year, and said that the enthusiasm and interest in this level of minor ball shows that "we'll have to get another [fastball] diamond for next year. Minor ball spear-

That luck did not extend to the weather, unfortunately. Friday's clouds and comfortable temperatures gave way to a windy, rainy Saturday when games were delayed due to downpours to such an extent that one game was held over to Sunday. Thick smoke from northern forest fires blanketed the area and added to the gloomy atmosphere. Sunday was an improvement, however, as the sun poked between the clouds on occasion, and the few brief sprinkles could not dampen the fans' enthusiasm.

Excitement reached a fever pitch Sunday afternoon as the Acme Red Sox and Camrose Cougars walked onto the field for the championship game. Acme started off well, with two runs in the first inning as compared to one for Camrose, but after four innings, the score was tied at 3 - all. Acme edged ahead with four runs in the fifth, with Camrose adding one each in the fifth and sixth.

The final inning was all for the south, however, as Acme went through their batting order once and a half as they racked up an astonishing eleven runs to advance their lead to 11 - 5. Camrose was running out of steam, and this was even more evident as they came up to bat, with one strike out,

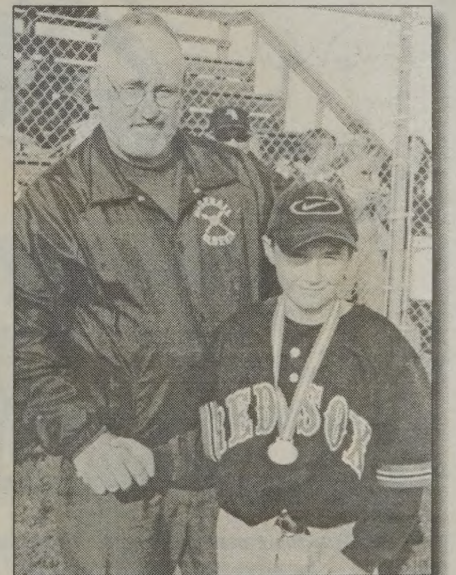


ACME RED SOX may be small town boys, but they are big on fastball, this weekend winning their fourth set of provincial Midget 'A' gold medals in five years.

one base hit, an out on a bunt and an out on a fly ball removing them from the competition.

Leo Cummings presided over the medal presentations, and said there had been "a lot of good sportsmanship out there" during the weekend.

Acme coach Mike Vaughan thanked Camrose for a great game, and the tournament organizers, host team, umpires, par-



A FIRST PROVINCIAL BALL MEDAL was presented by Leo Cummings of Baseball Alberta to Tyler Loughran, who served as bat boy for the Red Sox.

ents and fans for their part in a great weekend. To his players, he said simply, "you guys deserve this."

And deserve it, they did. A provincial championship is quite an accomplishment for a team from a community with a population of 600 people, who were pitted against teams from much larger communities throughout the weekend. Congratulations, Red Sox!



BATTLE READY -- Elk Point White Sox looked forward to taking on the best Midget 'A' teams from across the province.

community NEWS



Fur trade fun happening at the Forts

By Melissa Easthope
Interpretive Staff

Hello again from Fort George and Buckingham

House! This past week, our day camps covered what it was like to be someone living in the fur trade. We also talked

about what music would have been like back then.

On Tuesday, the kids, after making their own rafts [from popsicle sticks], made a trip down to the river and discovered what river travel might have been like. If you ask any of them how it went, they might have to tell you that it is harder to do than they once thought. After all that hard work, they came back up to the Interpretive Centre and tried starting a fire with flint and steel. They also tested out their knowledge with various trivia questions about the fur trade.

On Thursday, the kids learned what music of the fur trade would have been like. They made various musical instruments to play while we sang some songs. I think that the highlight of the day was when we made our own bannock and put in fresh saskatoons and strawberries from our fruitful pickings. When we were back in the Interpretive Centre, we played a game that has become everyone's favorite: hide 'n' seek in the gallery.

Come and join us next week as we discover the themes, "Origins" and "Made Beaver and Other Currency."

ANNOUNCEMENT



Welcome to Vic Baywell

We are pleased to announce the appointment of Vic Baywell as Manager of Elk Point Branch, Servus Credit Union. Vic brings many years of experience to his new position. John Yettaw is now with the St. Paul Branch where his experience in Commercial Credit will be an asset to serving our members in Commercial loans.

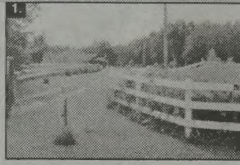
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from the **FCSS DESK**

July is National Blueberry Month

By Deanna Easthope
FCSS Director

Did you know that July is National Blueberry Month? I just learned this information the other day on the radio. Anyway, I thought I would talk about this berry.

During the month of July, we have been able to purchase these nice berries in our local grocery store. Thank you for bringing them in. These berries are known as the

■ Nutrition Notes

Beware of Hamburger Disease

By Linda Fox, RD
Elk Point Health Centre

Picture this scenario: You've developed severe stomach cramps, bloody diarrhea and a mild fever. Your doctor informed you that you had "Hamburger Disease" and that you were dehydrated from the diarrhea. You did recover, but, if you had been elderly or very young, you would have been more likely to develop serious problems.

How could this have happened? Thinking back, you recall going to a barbecue at a friend's house. The "chef," late getting the barbecue going, was taking the burgers off the grill as soon as they appeared to be cooked. When you took a bite you noticed the middle of the burger was still pink. You didn't want to embarrass your friend so you ate it anyway.

What caused the problem? A bacterium (*E.coli*) causes Hamburger Disease. It lives on the surface of meat but normal cooking (broiling, roasting, etc.) kills it. However, in ground meat, particularly hamburger, the bacteria are ground up throughout the meat. To be safe, you have to cook hamburger meat all the way through.

The moral of the story is: Never accept undercooked ground meat. Do yourself and everyone else a favor — politely ask the chef to ensure that the hamburgers are thoroughly cooked. Make

tame blueberry and are picked off a tall shrub. They are delicious.

But then, unique to our area, is the wild blueberry. They grow on a low shrub. In fact, they grow close to the ground. Also, where they grow is the secret of anyone who knows where to find them. In fact, for those who know where they are, it takes a long time to pick them. Thus they are very valuable little berries. And again, they are delicious. You can enjoy them with sugar and cream or in blueberry muffins, blueberry pie, pancakes or anything you want to put them in. To us in this area, they are our summer treat. Thank you, "Mother Nature."

Speaking of what is valuable and is a special summer treat, how are you all doing with your valuable special summer treat of summer holidays? Summer holidays are a special time for family and friends to share nice days together in a relaxing way. It is so nice not to have to be committed to the routine of the daily work world. So I hope all is going well with all of you.

Just as we can only pick our wild blueberries in the summer time, our special summer breaks only come once a year. It really is a time to enjoy Mother Nature and all the beauty around us. We are fortunate to be living in our area. All the trees and wild flowers are all beau-

tiful. Have you noticed them?

That reminds me of a story about a person who operated a greenhouse. As she showed us all her flowers, we came to the most beautiful one of all, a golden chrysanthemum, bursting with bloom. But to our great surprise, it was growing in an old, dented rusty bucket. Someone said, "if this were my plant, I'd put it in the loveliest container I had." The greenhouse lady changed the person's mind. "I ran short of pots," she explained, "and knowing how beautiful this one would be, I thought it wouldn't mind starting in this old pail. It's just for a little while till I can put it out in the garden."

Now isn't that true of all the beauty around us in this north country! During the winter, the land around us looks so bleak as the trees show only their branches. And now in the summer, all of nature is in full bloom.

What beauty around us! Thank you, Mother Nature! So to all of you — I hope you are finding time to enjoy the beauty of our area. And, of course, that you find those delicious wild blueberries and enjoy!

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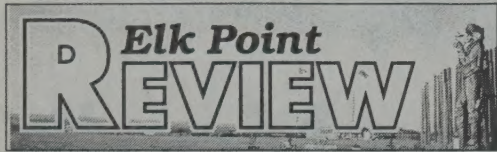
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TIC talks about the historical mural

The fine weather last week finally brought the tourists out, and a number of local people also stopped by for information on places they want to visit this summer. We have lots more to offer, so come on down and we'll help you find great places to go and interesting sights to see on your vacation.

One interesting sight right here at home is Elk Point's Historical Mural. A hundred feet long, and divided into ten sections, this giant painting portrays the history of the community from the days of the Northwest Rebellion in 1885 to modern times. The mural, which celebrated the tenth anniversary of its completion last fall, was painted by then-local artist and history buff Billie Milholland at the request of the local historical society to commemorate 80 years of settlement in the community.

The southernmost panel of the mural shows Native chiefs Big Bear, Poundmaker and Pakan, great leaders in a time of great trouble during the days of the Northwest Rebellion. Then came the sodbusters. The first white settlers were Americans, many of Scandinavian descent, some of whom came in covered wagons to break the sod and make new lives for their families as they pushed back the wilderness. Settlers from the Ukraine and other parts of Europe followed to add to the growing community.

The next panels depict pioneer life: the sod shack built by an early resident, chores such as milking the family cow outdoors, the menfolk gathering for a woodcutting bee and Mother baking on the old woodstove while Grandma watched the little ones. Travel in those days was by horse and buggy, and Elk Point was reached from the south by a ferry which crossed the North Saskatchewan River.

World War I took young people far from our community to fight on foreign battlefields, where horse drawn ambulances hauled away the casualties.

Back home, there were berries to pick on pleasant summer afternoons, with a break for a dip in the lake and maybe a little bit of horseplay on the beach. On Sports Day, barnstorming World War I flying ace "Wop" May gave aeroplane rides, three minutes for \$3.

Two country doctors, Dr. F. G. Miller and Dr. A. G. Ross, are legendary in our community for the huge area they covered, even in the depth of winter. Del Beebe, a faithful maintenance man, is shown with the hospital built in 1927, of which he took exceptional care.

The fifth panel shows that even in the lean times of the Hungry '30s, the community was sports minded. A golf course was located where the railroad tracks are now, the community had very competitive ball teams and everyone found time for horseshoes. Then came harvest, and the group of threshers depicted had stopped their labors for coffee time. Speaking of coffee time, it's time to take a break. We'll see you next week with the rest of the mural tour.

■ Have a safe summer

Help reduce the Alberta Drowning Score

By The Lifesaving Society®
The Lifeguarding Experts

National Drowning Prevention Day on July 24 marked the mid-point of Drowning Season in Alberta. Half of all Alberta drownings occur during the three month period, June to August. This summer is on track to maintain the trend. While cool wet weather has kept many people away from the beach, high levels of cold water have increased the risk to boaters and to people playing or working near our waterways.

Drowning Prevention Day was an opportunity for Albertans to reflect about the choices they make around the water. Choosing to consciously assess the risk of water based activities and take steps to control the risk would dramatically reduce the drowning statistics and the associated family tragedies.

Six simple choices could reduce the Alberta Drowning Score by more than half:

■ Always wear a PDF in your boat. Falling out of a boat into cold water will trigger a "terminal gasp" causing you to breathe water. It may be the last breath you will ever take. Put

on a PFD (Personal Flotation Device) or lifejacket and you will be prepared to survive. The PFD will help you hold your head out of the water and support you while waiting for help. More than 80 % of dead boaters did not wear a PFD.

■ Drive your boat responsibly. Look before you act, stay low, drive at moderate speeds, be aware of changing weather conditions and drive with extreme caution and with proper lights after dark. Capsizing, swamping or falling overboard were involved in three quarters of fatal boating incidents.

■ If you drive a boat, get trained. Boat operators need to know safe boating practices including the "rules of the road," safety equipment requirements and safe operating skills. The Lifesaving Society's new Boat Operator Accredited Training is a coast Guard accredited Pleasure Craft Operator certification.

■ If you drink, stay off the water. Alcohol consumption is a contributing factor in 4 out of every 10 water-related deaths. If you want to drink alcoholic beverages, get off and stay off the water.

■ Be your child's lifeguard — If you're not within arm's reach

you are too far away. Preschoolers are the second highest risk group for drowning in Alberta. Most preschool children who drown in Alberta drown in the bathtub or in a nearby ditch, slough or stream. A little child can drown in as little as 10 seconds.

■ Always swim with a friend. Friends can challenge poor choices or help rescue each other. Forty percent of drowning victims were alone.

While all water-related activities involve a degree of risk, Albertans can make WaterSmart® choices to manage the risk and enjoy the water.

For over 100 years, the Lifesaving Society has been working in Canada to prevent drownings. The Lifesaving Society, Canada's Lifeguard experts, reports annually on water related injuries and deaths. The Society is a national, charitable group working to prevent drowning through its training programs, WaterSmart public education campaign and aquatic safety management services. Last year, the Society certified 200,000 Canadians in its lifesaving, lifeguarding and leadership courses.

■ Made in the shade

Summer: pets need protection

Summertime is here and the heat is on. With the hot sun and increased outdoor activity, there are a few tips owners should follow to ensure they and their pets enjoy the summer season. Studies have shown the many health benefits of the human-animal bond and most owners are dedicated to the health and well-being of their pets. In preparation for the sun and fun to come, take your pet to the veterinarian for a checkup. Make sure it is on a safe, effective flea and tick control program.

Sun Safety

Despite their fur, overexposure to the sun's rays can be dangerous to our pets. Exposure should be limited, especially during peak sun hours of noon to 4 p.m. Cats and dogs should have access to water and shade at all times. Sunscreen can even be applied to hairless breeds or those with a thin coat.

Doggy on Board

During the warm summer months, pets should not be left unattended in a parked car — even if the windows are left open. Excess heat can cause cats and dogs to experience heat stroke, which can be fatal. When driving with pets, make sure the windows remain only slightly open so that your pet is not tempted to stick its head out and risk getting insects, dust and debris in its eyes.

Who Invited You?

Cats and dogs aren't the only creatures that enjoy the nice weather. Summertime also brings an increase in animals such as skunks, snakes and porcupines. When walking your dog or cat, especially in campgrounds or cottage land, make sure your pet is on a leash and in your sight at all times.

More Pet Tips

■ Rapid breathing, loud panti-

ng and staggering are signs of heat stroke. If your pet exhibits any of these symptoms, take it to a shady, ventilated area and sponge the animal with cool water.

■ In case of emergency, keep your veterinarian's number handy.

■ Don't let your pet walk in areas which may have been sprayed with insecticides or chemicals as it could ingest poison.

■ Many dogs love swimming. However, the potential for drowning still exists — even in backyard pools. Keep an eye on your pet at all times.

■ Ear and skin infections can develop after prolonged periods in the water. To remove water from your pet's ears, towel dry inside and out. Never insert cotton swabs in your pet's ears.

Follow these summer care tips and your pet should enjoy a safe, healthy and doggone good summer.



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what's NEWS at the LIBRARY?

Thompson wows everyone with his story vine

By Karina Mitchell
Librarian

Richard Thompson was a wonderful storyteller! All who came to the event at the Library had a great time, which was evident in the enthusiastic participation.

As we slowly worked our way through Thompson's story vine, we heard stories about pets, seasick sailors and the woman who lived in a shoe. He had us guessing with the draw-and-tell stories and had us laughing with the African folk tale about a sometimes-clever spider. My favorite story was the sand story. By filling a glass-bottomed pizza box with cornmeal (it works better than sand) and placing it on an overhead projector, we could see the pictures projected on the wall as they were being drawn in the 'sand.' It looked pretty cool!

A big thank you to Northern Lights Library System for bringing us this opportunity, and to Richard Thompson for sharing his love and enthusiasm of a good story!

New books at the Library...

For Young Adults:

Dr. Jack Myers answers 350 real questions from real kids in **Highlights Book of Science Questions That Children Ask**. If you ever wondered if animals cry, why there is snow on mountaintops if heat rises, and how many miles of blood vessels are in us, then this is the book for you.

Twelve-year-old Matt must try to survive on his own in the Maine wilderness. Fortunately, he is found by an Indian chief and his grandson. As the

boys become friends, they teach each other new skills. But Matt must decide if he should stay with his new friends or try to find his family. **The Sign of the Beaver** by Elizabeth George Speare.

The creature has the face of a wolf, the back and chest of a man, and an appetite for you! It's home sweet horror in **The Werewolf** in the Living Room by R. L. Stine.

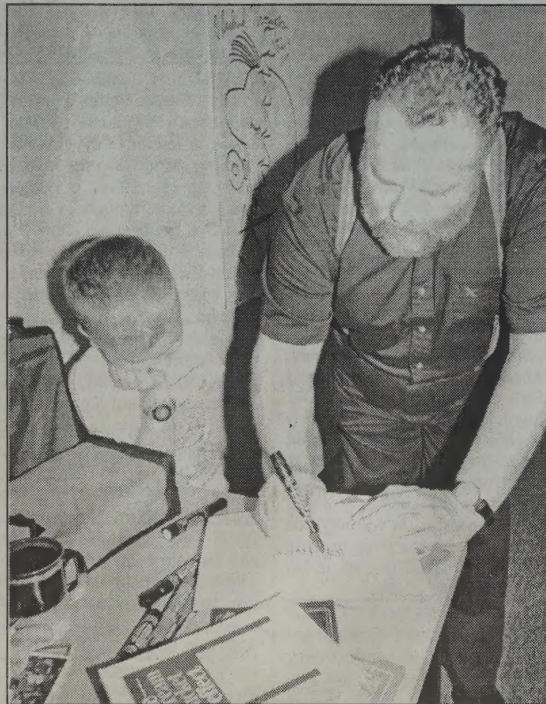
Kristy is going to sum-

mer camp where all she will do is play baseball with famous major leaguers. Nothing can make her feel bad, except being demoted to second string on the SMS softball team! **Kristy at Bat** by Ann M. Martin.

For Adults:

In **How to Hire a Home Improvement Contractor Without Getting Chiseled**, Tom Philbin offers sage tips and reliable advice on the steps you need to take to ensure a good job at a fair price. Topics covered include planning a project, soliciting bids, obtaining a loan and supervising the work.

A Concise History of the Early Church is a lucid and highly readable, up-to-date study of the early church from its beginnings to the Council of Chalcedon. By Norbert Brox.



AUTOGRAPH SESSION -- A young fan gets an autograph from author and storyteller Richard Thompson, who visited the Elk Point Public Library last week and presented a number of his stories, with the help of a sandbox, imaginative drawings and rollicking songs.

Read across Europe

By Carlen Mutch
Summer Reading Program

With Karina off to Vancouver, I have taken on the responsibilities of the librarian, mainly getting the mail and making a mess. I think that I have kept the library in its original state of chaos quite well. Karina would be proud.

Last week saw the Reading Program take a trip to Europe. With the older kids on Wednesday, we had fun making trees out of newspaper and, since it was sunny out, playing with the parachute. We made a tent out of it and that was fun until we started to get heat exhaustion. Then they downed three liters of Kool Ade. On Thursday after hearing some folk tales from Germany and the Ukraine, we also went outside to play with the parachute. Again we discovered the principles of heat (I thought this week was supposed to be on Europe?) Then we came in to play a fishing game. Everyone seemed to have fun.

Next we will be discovering Asia. By then I will have been looking after the library for one week so you may not be able to get in the door, but I'll try to clear a path.

This week's trivia question is, True or False? Over half the world's population lives in Asia? (Answer will appear in next week's article.)

Last week's answer is: Uruguay is sometimes referred to as the Switzerland of South America.

Pioneer Circle bingo

July 19, 1999

Charles Bromley \$30, Robert Bepalko \$8, Mary Prusak \$23, Hazel Hannah \$8, Margaret Clark \$8, Pauline LaChance \$30, Bob Whelen \$93, Dan Demchuk

\$30, Olga Tomkow \$30, Arlene Bochon \$30, Louise Jenkins \$30, Lynn Lizuck \$30, Lena Cap \$30, Phyllis Zarowny \$60, Olga Tomkow \$10, Patsy Zarowny \$10, Olga Ruzycy \$18, Sam Barstad \$15, Kathy Zarowny \$30, Mary Prusak \$28, Ann Palynchuk \$18, Mary

Axley \$46, Olga Ruzycy \$58, Jackie Heagy \$23, Norma Nelson \$46, Ivy Ference \$23, Dina Leaf \$8, Faye Randall \$8.



review COMMUNITY NEWSLINE

"Mother to Mother" Breastfeeding Support Group - meets 4th Monday of every month, 10 a.m. Call 724-3332 for more info. Expectant mothers and older siblings welcome.

Alcoholics Anonymous meeting, Wednesday at 8:30 p.m., Room 604, Elk Point Hospital.

T.O.P.S. meets every Wednesday, 6 p.m. - 7 p.m., Old Courthouse, south door, Elk Point.

"New To Town" FCSS would like to welcome and familiarize new families with the services and programs available in town. Welcome packages contain a community directory, volunteer directory, coupons, maps and more! Call 724-3800 for more information or drop by 4902 - 51 Street.

Recycle Your Paper - Paper trailer is located at the west side of the curling rink, 5118-49 Ave.. We take newspapers, flyers, computer and bond paper. No cardboard boxes, milk or egg cartons, phone books or glossy magazines. Please sort and bundle with string or put in cardboard boxes.

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The Elk Point Legion now meets on the 2nd Tues. of each month at 7:30 p.m. in the Seniors' Centre.

Elk Point Auto Club - meets at the Empress Restaurant, Elk Point, the 2nd Wednesday of each month. More information call: Ed Smith at 724-2527.

Elk Point & Area "Stop Family Violence" Support Group - meetings are held 2 times a month. For more information call 724-2380, 724-3800 or 645-1950

Adoption Support Krew - meets the 2nd Mon. of every month at Social Services Bldg., St. Paul from 7:30 - 9:30 p.m. For more info call 724-3031.

Many Albertans gamble as a form of recreation. For a small minority, however, gambling becomes a problem. If you or someone you know is experiencing personal, social or financial problems as a result of their gambling, confidential help is available. Call 1-800-665-9676.

Gerard Pelletier had brought together a wide variety of excerpts and articles to make up this collection of Pierre Trudeau's writings. Against the Current ranges from his earliest articles while he was still a student to his opinions of Meech Lake and the Charlottetown Accord.

Library Calendar

August 9, Monday evening: The Friends of the Library have an evening Bingo. Sign up at the Library to work.

July and August, 1:30 - 3:00: Discover the World at Your Library Summer Reading Program, Wednesdays - 8 to 12 year-olds, Thursdays - 4 to 8 year-olds. You can still register!

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**7:00
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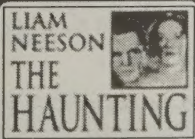
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7:20 & 9:00

General

**SATURDAY, TUESDAY &
THURSDAY MATINEE 2:00**



7:10 & 9:20

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CHURCH SERVICES



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5705 - 49 St., Elk Point

Pastor Jim MacLellan - 724-4194

Family Worship Service

Sundays - 10:00 a.m.

Sunday School for All Ages -

11:15 a.m.

Call Church answering service for

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Community Church

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Railway Avenue and 53 St.

Sunday Worship Service - 11:00

a.m.; Sunday School - 11:00 a.m.;

Office hours - Thurs. & Fri. 9 a.m. -

12 noon

St. Vladmirs' Ukrainian

Orthodox Church Elk Point

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St. Paul or 724-4351, Elk Point.

United Church of Canada

Elk Point

No Sunday services until

September

St. Michael's Catholic

Church

Sunday Mass 12 p.m.

Bethel Lutheran Church

of Lea Park

Sunday Worship Services, 10:30

a.m.

Bible Fellowship Church

Clandonald

Services held every

Sunday at 11:00 a.m.

review CLASSIFIEDS

1 AUCTION

SATURDAY, August 7, 1999, 11:00 a.m. From Mannville; 10 miles north on #881, 4 miles west, 1 mile north. Repossession Unreserved. 1996 Peterbilt highway tractor, Cummins N14, 460 HP, 18 speed transmission, 500,000 kms., 3/4 bunk, auto shut down, air, windows. 1997 Doepker Tridam grain trailer, on air, weight gauge. Like new. Approximately 1985, 45 foot highboy, bale racks. Sewart Auctions, Vermilion, Alberta, 1-800-269-8580. www.stewartauctions.com.

2 AUTO

1987 FORD TEMPO L - Power mirrors, radio cassette, 4-cylinder, 4-dr. automatic, grey in and out, clean in and out, runs great, excellent condition. Good tires, good brakes, 226,000 km. Must be seen, \$1,500; '82 Mazda GLC 2-dr. hatchback, \$800; whirlpool washer \$300; clothes dryers, \$75-\$200; washers start at \$150; electric stove \$80; 10 cu. ft. deep freeze \$200; Kitchen Aid dishwasher \$60; 2 hp gas motor \$50; chain saw \$50; 1974 Yamaha #650, \$1,000. Call Tony anytime 614-0894. Jly27

FOR SALE - 1996 Dodge 1500, standard V6, short box, 86,000 kms, red, excellent condition. Phone 645-7100 evenings. Aug3

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4 BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

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6 EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

REQUIRED - Live-in hired man, St. Paul area. Experience with cattle and fencing, etc. an asset. Phone 645-2398. Aug3

200 JOBS! Lakeside Packers, located in Brooks, AB (2 hours east of Calgary), is currently hiring for production line operators for both the day and evening shifts. As one of western Canada's premiere beef slaughter and processing facilities, we are looking for men and women interested in pursuing a career in the beef industry. Permanent, full-time work is available. Applicants should be prepared for repetitious, physical labour involving a knife. No experience is necessary. The starting wage for day shift positions is \$9.25/hour; evening shift positions start at \$9.60/hour. If you are interested in joining our team, please fax your resume to 403-501-2239 or call us toll free at 1-888-700-0903.

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6 EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

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15 MACHINERY

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FOR SALE

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25 WANTED

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4:00 p.m.
Wed., July 28

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It's summer, and everyone around you is headed out on vacation. But you're sitting there without the time, the money or both, that you would need to take a holiday trip. But maybe you could spare an afternoon, and a few dollars. Let's see... where could you go?

I've got it — why not do what the tourists do when they come to our part of the country — check out one of our many museums. There is one in each of the major towns in our area: St. Paul, Elk Point, Bonnyville and Two Hills,

each with fascinating exhibits to explore, and each with its own unique theme. And then there are those in surrounding communities — Saddle Lake, Mallaig, Shandro Village, Vegreville and Mundare. A little further afield, Smoky Lake offers both their museum and the provincial historic site at Victoria Settlement, Lac La Biche has their historic Mission, and there are interesting museums to be found at Dewberry, Vermilion, and Islay.

The area around us reflects many cultures — Native, Metis, French, Ukrainian, those of the

British Isles and of many European countries, and each community has preserved the heritage of its founding families in their museum, along with souvenirs from the people and events who have made their mark in that community in later years.

To learn more about the history of your own community or about beautiful northeast Alberta, visit one of these fascinating museums. Your local tourist information centre can help you to find locations and hours of operation. And happy holidays, everyone!

Beware of Hamburger Disease

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sure the meat is brown in the centre, not pink or red, before you finish cooking it. (However, you can still order rare/medium rare steak if you wish. Remember that cooking will kill the bacteria on the surface of the beef.)

For additional food safety insurance, always practice safe food handling techniques:

■ Wash your hands

before handling food and after handling raw meat.

■ Before and after preparing ground meat, wash the work surface and everything you used in preparing it.

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review SPORTS *this week*

Acme wins the Provincial Midget 'A' gold

By Doug Bassett
Review Sports

They finished first and second in the round robins, so it was only fitting that these two teams, Acme and Camrose, should play in the provincial final, Acme winning the gold and Camrose the silver. Acme, a strong hitting club, won their fourth gold medals in Midget 'A' ball in the past five years. They made their share of errors in the field, but their hitting was strong right through from 1 to 9 in the lineup and won it for them.

Our own home town White Sox played their first game on Friday at 6 p.m., right after the open-

ing ceremonies, against Beaverlodge, and were trailing by only one run into the sixth, when Beaverlodge took advantage of the Sox' throwing errors and took a five run lead. The Sox fought back in the seventh with a two run rally, but it was too little, too late and they lost 9 to 6. Things happen fast in a ball game. Sometimes you're better off to just eat the ball, rather than throwing it away.

Saturday, after a two hour rain delay, the field crew went to work and prepared the field for playing.

Nathan Mathews pitched a great game for the Sox against Camrose, in a game that many thought was the

most exciting of the weekend, with the Sox and Camrose tied at four runs each for four innings until the top of the seventh, when with two out, Jordan Bassett singled and got on base, followed by Aaron Hansen who brought him home to give the Sox a one-run lead. But Camrose, with two out in the bottom of the seventh, scored two runs to win the heartbreaker game, sinking the Sox and making their chances very slim to make the semis.

The Sox, with a win over the Fort, would still have had a chance if Camrose beat Beaverlodge, but Camrose saving their best pitcher for the finals and not really wanting to meet Acme in the semi final, but would rather meet the Edmonton Royals, may have had some bearing on the game, Beaverlodge winning 12 to 6 and eliminating the Sox. We're not saying that the Sox, looking at it in Camrose's position, would not have used the same strategy,

and besides that, the Sox had their opportunity to get to the semis without counting on another team winning it for them, but they threw it away.

The Sox and the Fort game was almost a comedy show. If I say too much about the game I might get another nasty letter to the editor, but let's just say all the coaches were warned about the new zero tolerance rule, and zero tolerance is zero tolerance, but these guys are midget players, they are competitors, they have to have some attitude to win, so let's let the kids win on the field. The Sox did with this one even if they had to beat the Fort and the man in blue, but Beaverlodge wasn't as lucky, they only had one spare when their last player was ejected in the semi final game against Acme.

Now for the thank yous. To thank everyone would bore you to death, and really tax my memory, but I know who they are, they know who they are, and they know that

in my heart I really care, and thank them all. But some of them must be mentioned:

Roger Harrison and Tammy Anderson, the tournament directors, the coaching staff of Ron Croteau, Mel Brown and Bob Mathews, Laverne Wilson, Rick Bilak and Debbie Hansen in the sound booth, Gary Hansen, chief cook and bottle washer, and coming through once again, my lovely wife Donna, who always comes through when I run out of volunteers. Most wives would have pulled me from the lineup years ago.

Once again this year, the toughest part of all is saying goodbye to the veterans. Three players will leave us again this year. Aaron Hansen, who came to play with the team, even though he could have played for any triple A team in the city, but chose to stay with us. Other AA and AAA teams have been phoning me about him, so I know his baseball days are not over. Nathan

Mathews, a great pitcher and competitor who never stops talking and cheering when the rest of the team has given up. And last of all, my son Jordan "Buhner" Bassett, who had a great weekend at the plate, got on base 10 for 12 times, struck out only once, had seven hits and six RBIs. This guy has always been an over.500 hitter, and has given me nothing but enjoyment these past ten years. We have been together in ball, since the day we started in T-ball and worked ourselves up to midget.

As for myself, chalk this one up as another provincial experience. Bad experience? No, it was good experience, even if the Sox didn't make it into the semis. One think about this game, you never finish learning from your mistakes. Two years in a row the Sox have hosted, two year sin a row the Sox would have made it into the provincial final even if they didn't host. But it's hard standing out there passing out the medals, second guessing yourself, knowing that one run, in one game, and it could have been your team out there receiving the medals.

In closing, we said it before, if you build it, they will come. We will continue to build competitive ball teams and improve our facility, and someday they will have no choice but to give us another provincial final.

CPCA runs in St. Walburg

Two days of CPCA races wrapped up in St. Walburg, SK on Sunday with only 6/100ths of a second separating the three top wagons.

Ray Mitsuing of Loon Lake placed first overall, finishing third Saturday and second on Sunday. Mitsuing leads the season's standings with a two point margin over Dennis McGillivray of Melfort, SK, who finished the meet in second place. Wayne Dagg, Melfort, posted Saturday's fastest time and was third for the weekend, while Bert Croteau of Bonnyville was fourth. Croteau sits third in the standings.

Doug Irvine of Lindbergh came in seventh on Sunday night and is currently tied with Rod Salmond for ninth and tenth in the standings.

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